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9th Annual Family Irish Day at The Domes

Milwaukee, WI (March 4, 2015) – "Family Irish Day at The Domes" will bring the culture of the Emerald Isle to Milwaukee, Sunday, March 15, from 9 a.m.–4 p.m. Highlighting the event will be the music of Tallymore and performances by the Trinity Irish Dancers. The Mitchell Park Domes, "Milwaukee's Living Landmark," is located at 524 S. Layton Blvd.

"The luck of the Irish was at work when we were booking talent for our festival," said Sandy Folaron, Director of The Domes. "Tallymore has performed their take on classic Irish folk tunes at Irish festivals throughout the Midwest and on the West Coast, and the Trinity Irish Dancers have just won their 17th World Irish Dance Championship title!"

Tallymore will perform popular folk and Celtic music from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. and Trinity Irish Dancers will perform at noon and 3 p.m. Strolling musicians and other dance groups will perform throughout the day.

In addition, volunteers will demonstrate and display Irish crafts and customs such as lace-making and flax-spinning for linen cloth.

Because St. Patrick's Day is traditionally a day for family, activities for children are planned. Activities will include making a craft project, listening to the yarns of a storyteller, and picture-taking with "St. Patrick."

Food with an Irish flair will be available for purchase from Zilli's Hospitality Group.

"Family Irish Day at The Domes" is included with regular admission. Admission for adults age 18 and over is \$7; Milwaukee County Seniors with ID, persons with disabilities, students of any age with ID, and youth age 6-17 are \$5. Children 5 and under are admitted for free.

For more information, call The Domes at (414) 257-5600 or visit www.CountyParks.com

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